# SHAMEEL ARAFIN

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## EXPERIENCE

### Meredith Corp/former Time Inc.
*Senior Director, Platform Engineering, News Group*

April 2017 - February 2018
New York, NY

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### Time Inc.
*Director of Platform Engineering, News Group*

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### MediaStorm
*Platform Architect & Lead Developer*

June 2011 - July 2015
Brooklyn, NY

· Responsible for development of the MediaStorm Platform, an interactive content publishing tool for video and interactive media.
· Product management and strategy, development and deployment, and recruitment.
· The Sundance Institute launched 8 films on the MediaStorm Platform. Other key clients include the International Center for Transitional Justice (ICTJ) and Trials of Spring.
· Responsible for all Dev Ops and Sys Admin, including development workflow, code deployment, and infrastructure management for mediastorm.com and player.mediastorm.com.
· Initiated benefits package for employees, led implementation of the 401(k) plan.

### PopStay
*CTO, Lead Developer*

August 2010 - February 2011
New York, NY

· Architected and coded the first prototype of a social tool for vacation rentals and home swapping

### SignalFive
*Co-Founder, CTO*

September 2008 - June 2011
Brooklyn, NY

· Co-founded an interactive design, development and strategy agency focused on web and mobile applications.
· Clients include Al Gore's Alliance for Climate Protection and PopStay, a social tool for vacation rentals and home swapping. Mobile apps include Grand Marnier and MeFertil.

**Massify**                                                September 2007 - September 2008
*Developer*                                                               New York, NY
· Launched a social network and crowd-sourcing web application for the film and TV industry.

**Freelance**                                                 January 2003 - September 2007
*Web Developer*                                                           New York, NY
· Clients included Mercy Health hospitals, Empax, and various small businesses in Philadelphia, New York, Canada and Israel.

**Credit Suisse First Boston Technology Group**                July 1998 - March 2002
*Senior Research Associate*                                               New York, NY
· Senior Research Associate in Communications Test & Measurement sector
· Research Associate to lead analyst in Semiconductor Capital Equipment sector

**Deutsche Bank Securities Technology Group**                  June 2011 - July 1998
*Research Assistant*                                                      New York, NY
· Research Assistant to Director of Research and Lead Analyst on PC Hardware & Software
· Editor of The Tech Daily

## EDUCATION

**Harvard University, Cambridge, MA**                          *September 1995 - June 1997*
A.B Literature (Honors), to be completed summer 2018

**California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA**          *September 1993 - June 1995*
Electrical Engineering / Literature

## TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

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| **Computer Languages** | Prolog, Haskell, AWK, Erlang, Scheme, ML |
| **Protocols & APIs** | XML, JSON, SOAP, REST |
| **Databases** | MySQL, PostgreSQL, Microsoft SQL |
| **Tools** | SVN, Vim, Emacs |